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No.:	16-35568
D.C. No.:	2:15-cv-01543-RSM
Short Title:	Chintan Mehta, et al v. U.S. Department of State, et al

Dear Appellant/Counsel

A copy of your notice of appeal/petition has been received in the Clerk's office of the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit. The U.S. Court of Appeals docket number shown above has been assigned to this case. You must indicate this Court of Appeals docket number whenever you communicate with this court regarding this case.

Please furnish this docket number immediately to the court reporter if you place an order, or have placed an order, for portions of the trial transcripts. The court reporter will need this docket number when communicating with this court.

The due dates for filing the parties' briefs and otherwise perfecting the appeal have been set by the enclosed "Time Schedule Order," pursuant to applicable FRAP rules. These dates can be extended only by court order. Failure of the appellant to comply with the time schedule order will result in automatic dismissal of the appeal. 9th Cir. R. 42-1.

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CHINTAN MEHTA, on behalf of
themselves and a class of all individuals
similarly situated; SOURY HAZRA, on
behalf of themselves and a class of all
individuals similarly situated;
VANKATA SHIVA AYYAGARI, on
behalf of themselves and a class of all
individuals similarly situated; WANG
QI, on behalf of themselves and a class
of all individuals similarly situated;
YUAN QUAN, on behalf of themselves
and a class of all individuals similarly
situated; RANJIT JAIN, on behalf of
themselves and a class of all individuals
similarly situated; SATYAVAN
PANDA, on behalf of themselves and a
class of all individuals similarly
situated; RAVI GUSAIN, on behalf of
themselves and a class of all individuals
similarly situated; AKSHAY
KAWALE, on behalf of themselves and
a class of all individuals similarly
situated; XIAO HAIFENG, on behalf of
themselves and a class of all individuals
similarly situated; VANSHAJ BINDAL,
on behalf of themselves and a class of
all individuals similarly situated; RAVI
VISHNUVARDHAN, on behalf of
themselves and a class of all individuals
similarly situated; ANANDHI
SRINIVASAN; INTERNATIONAL
MEDICAL GRADUATE

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U.S. District Court for Western
Washington, Seattle

TIME SCHEDULE ORDER

TASKFORCE; VENKATA
SURAPANENI, on behalf of themselves
and a class of all individuals similarly
situated,

Plaintiffs - Appellants,

v.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE;
JOHN F. KERRY, in his official
capacity as Secretary of State;
DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND
SECURITY; JEH JOHNSON, in his
official capacity as Secretary of
Homeland Security; U.S. CITIZENSHIP
AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES;
LEON RODRIGUEZ, in his official
capacity as Director, U.S. Citizenship
and Immigration Services,

Defendants - Appellees.

The parties shall meet the following time schedule.

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| Tue., July 19, 2016 | Mediation Questionnaire due. If your registration for Appellate ECF is confirmed after this date, the Mediation Questionnaire is due within one day of receiving the email from PACER confirming your registration. |
| Wed., October 19, 2016 | Appellant's opening brief and excerpts of record shall be served and filed pursuant to FRAP 32 and 9th Cir. R. 32-1. |
| Fri., November 18, 2016 | Appellees' answering brief and excerpts of record shall be served and filed pursuant to FRAP 32 and 9th Cir. R. 32-1. |

The optional appellant's reply brief shall be filed and served within fourteen days of service of the appellees' brief, pursuant to FRAP 32 and 9th Cir. R. 32-1.

Failure of the appellant to comply with the Time Schedule Order will result in automatic dismissal of the appeal. See 9th Cir. R. 42-1.

FOR THE COURT:
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